

STOCKPORT PYRAMID PROJECT

Stockport Targeted Offender Project - STOP

STOP is an intensive supervision, support and monitoring programme within Stockport Probation for local Prolific and other Priority Offenders (PPOs). It is a condition attached to a community order given at Court. STOP works hand in hand with the Offender Management Unit under the overarching crime reduction initiative, the Stockport Pyramid Project.

It is a multi-agency project in which two lead agencies, Police and Probation provide intensive supervision, monitoring and support to local PPOs. Staffing includes 2 xs full-time Probation Service Officers, 1 xs full-time dedicated Police Officer (Police Offender Manager) who sits between the OMU and STOP and admin support from within the Probation Service.

The main aim of the project is to reduce re-offending by offering a minimum of four appointments a week, addressing all their resettle and rehabilitation needs – the eight pathways of the Regional Reducing Re-offending Delivery Plan. This also includes a police / probation joint home visit. Non-compliance equals a swift return to custody.

The Concentrator Model has been developed in Stockport Probation to ensure effective PPO case management. This means that all PPO cases are managed by three dedicated Probation Officers who work closely with the STOP team and the OMU.

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